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Applicant : Chin-Ti Chen et al
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Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated October 22, 2003, be extended for one month to and including February 23, 2004, February 22, 2004 being a Sunday.

Enclosed is a check for \$55 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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